THE MARGARET EATON SCHOOL

Toronto

September 18, 1941

Dear Member of the Alumnae Association:

I want to address this to each one of you personally, although it is not possible to address you by name. The information which I have to give you, officially, is of such importance to you as an Alumna of The Margaret Eaton School, as well as to the School itself, that I would be glad of an opportunity to talk it over with each, individually.

Early in May, 1941, it was decided by the authorities of The University of Toronto to take The Margaret Waton School into the University, merging it with the new Course in Physical and Health Education. This new Course was inaugurated in September, 1940, under the direction of Dr. E. S. Ryerson, M.D.C.M., It has now been made a separate School of the University and grants the degree of Bachelor of Physical and Health Education. It is open to both men and women, and offers a threeyear course which is strong in the sciences underlying health and physical education. It gives a desirable amount of time to the practice of physical education activities. Graduates of this Course will be admitted to the Ontario College of Education. We hope and expect that the Departments of Education in other provinces will accept this Course as a prerequisite to their own course in Education, for their teachers of health and physical education. We hope too, that as students continue to come to Toronto for their training in physical education, graduates will go out to many positions of responsibility in the different provinces of Canada.

We believe that this new School will carry on the high standards and useful traditions which have been treasured by The Margaret Eaton School and will at the same time give to our future students that background of university education which the teaching profession is requiring more and more. We are finding that a degree is essential for many positions which are referred to our office, and I believe that this demand will increase in the future. The future student will find many advantages at the University which we have not been able to offer. She will work under experts in the scientific field, such as Dr. C. H. Best and Dr. W. E. Blatz, and other men of world standing. She will have the use of the University library, excellent laboratory facilities, and the Health Services and will share in the social and athletic activities.

Several of our Staff members will go into the University with the School. Miss Layton Hiss Jackson and I have been given appointments on the new Faculty, and Hiss Haylor, temporarily. Mrs. Raymer and Mrs. Allen had already indicated their desire to retire to private life. The building at 415 Yonge Street will be the headquarters of

the new course for some time to come, probably until after the war is over. The students who entered in September, 1940, will continue with the Senior curriculum of The Margaret Eaton School, and will graduate in May with its diploma. Those who have Senior Matriculation have the opportunity to enter the new Course with advanced standing in some courses, but I do not know yet whether any of them will decide to make the change. The new students entering this year will register for the new Course in the University.

We hope that you will continue to refer girls who are satisfactory candidates for this profession to the School of Physical and Health Education of the University of Toronto, as you have in the past referred them to The Margaret Eaton School. The favourable publicity given our school by its graduates has been one of the factors leading to the large increase in our student enrolment in the last few years, and this loyalty and help have been greatly appreciated. There will be two "Margaret Eaton" Scholarships of \$500.00 each, which will probably be offered to second and third year women who have done excellent work in the first year. This is a gift to the University from the Eaton Estate. We expect, also, that the name which we all love will be perpetuated by a Memorial Library in the proposed Women's Building of the University, a building which will be devoted to the women students as soon as it can be properly undertaken. This library will be a gift of our School.

If any of you have an urge for further study and advancement in health and physical education, and if you have your Senior Matriculation, why not consider returning to school and taking the degree course. Some credit will be given for your work at The Margaret Eaton School. I cannot tell you how much this will be until some of you have had your record passed upon, Write to us for a calendar of the School of Physical and Health Education, Follow the instructions given for admission with advanced standing. Your qualifications will be considered individually.

Many of you will remember that negotiations have been under way for a number of years for some kind of affiliation with the University of Toronto. Miss Hamilton had been working for it for many years, and the "Co-operation" which was granted by the University in 1934, was the first step toward this final amalgamation. Knowing that many people most interested in the welfare of the School desired such a connection, I have continued to work for it, at the same time attempting to maintain and build up the efficiency of the School so that it might go to the affiliating body with an enviable reputation in Physical Education. With the splendid co-operation of Staff, Students and Alumnae, I believe this has been accomplished within the possibilities of a privately owned school, and I give up my stewardship with the hope that it has the approval of you all. Remember that The Margaret Eaton School will continue to exist in its Alumnae, and I sincerely hope that your groups will continue to be active in every part of the Dominion.

Cordially yours,

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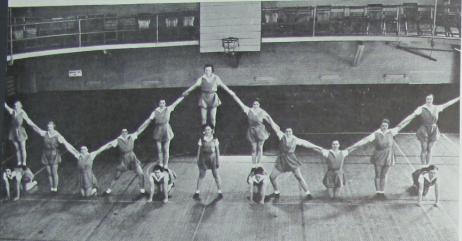
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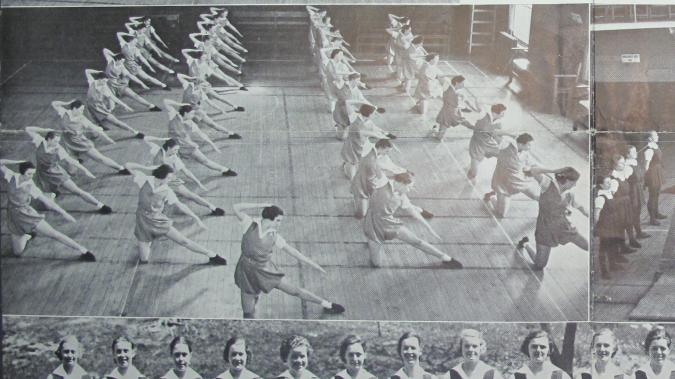


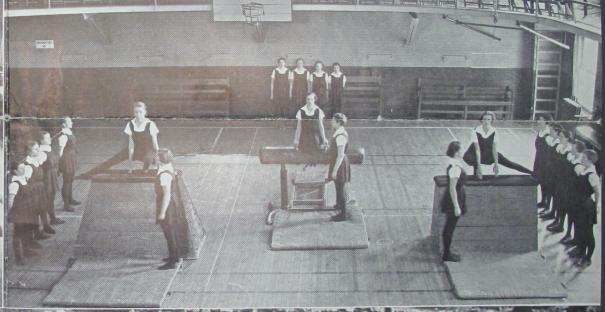
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